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Application Number	10/707,011
Filing Date	November 13, 2003
Art Unit	
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I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Methods For Controlling The Fluid Loss Properties Of Viscoelastic Surfactants Based Fluids*(Title of the Invention)*

the specification of which

 is attached hereto**OR** was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) November 13, 2003 as United States Application Number or PCT InternationalApplication Number 10/707,011 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

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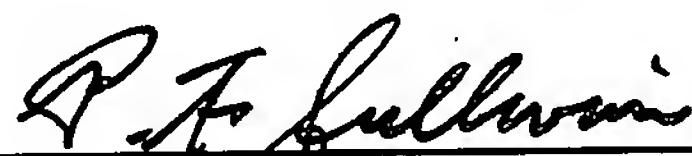


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